

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

7 JASON MARCUS JONES,
8 Plaintiff,
9 v.
10 ROMEO ARANAS et al.,
11 Defendants.
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2:15-cv-01720-RFB-GWF

ORDER

13 This is an action on an amended civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983,
14 removed from state court. The Court entered a screening order on November 16, 2016. (ECF
15 No. 20). The Court appointed pro bono counsel. (ECF No. 25). The screening order imposed
16 a 90-day stay and the Court entered a subsequent order in which the parties were assigned
17 to mediation by a court-appointed mediator. (ECF No. 20, 28). The Office of the Attorney
18 General has filed a status report indicating that settlement has not been reached and informing
19 the Court of its intent to proceed with this action. (ECF No. 31).

20 While awaiting the appointment of pro bono counsel, Plaintiff, *pro se*, filed a motion for
21 court order for medication. (ECF No. 23). The Court denies the motion, without prejudice, and
22 directs Plaintiff's pro bono counsel to re-file the motion if necessary.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

21 1. The Clerk of the Court shall electronically **SERVE** a copy of this order and a copy
22 of Plaintiff's amended complaint (ECF No. 15) on the Office of the Attorney General of the
23 State of Nevada, attention Barbara Fell.
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25 2. Service must be perfected within ninety (90) days from the date of this order
26 pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m)

1 3. Subject to the findings of the screening order (ECF No. 20), within **twenty-one**
2 **(21) days** of the date of entry of this order, the Attorney General's Office shall file a notice
3 advising the Court and Plaintiff of: (a) the names of the defendants for whom it accepts
4 service; (b) the names of the defendants for whom it does not accept service, and (c) the
5 names of the defendants for whom it is filing the last-known-address information under seal.
6 As to any of the named defendants for whom the Attorney General's Office cannot accept
7 service, the Office shall file, *under seal*, but shall not serve the inmate Plaintiff the last known
8 address(es) of those defendant(s) for whom it has such information. If the last known address
9 of the defendant(s) is a post office box, the Attorney General's Office shall attempt to obtain
10 and provide the last known physical address(es).

11 4. If service cannot be accepted for any of the named defendant(s), Plaintiff shall
12 file a motion identifying the unserved defendant(s), requesting issuance of a summons, and
13 specifying a full name and address for the defendant(s). For the defendant(s) as to which the
14 Attorney General has not provided last-known-address information, Plaintiff shall provide the
15 full name and address for the defendant(s).

16 5. If the Attorney General accepts service of process for any named defendant(s),
17 such defendant(s) shall file and serve an answer or other response to the amended complaint
18 within **sixty (60) days** from the date of this order.

19 6. Henceforth, Plaintiff shall serve upon defendant(s) or, if an appearance has been
20 entered by counsel, upon their attorney(s), a copy of every pleading, motion or other document
21 submitted for consideration by the Court. Plaintiff shall include with the original document
22 submitted for filing a certificate stating the date that a true and correct copy of the document
23 was mailed or electronically filed to the defendants or counsel for the defendants. If counsel
24 has entered a notice of appearance, Plaintiff shall direct service to the individual attorney
25 named in the notice of appearance, at the physical or electronic address stated therein. The
26 Court may disregard any document received by a district judge or magistrate judge which has
27 not been filed with the Clerk of the Court, and any document received by a district judge,
28 magistrate judge, or the Clerk of the Court which fails to include a certificate showing proper

1 service.

2 7. The motion for court order for medication (ECF No. 23) is denied without
3 prejudice.

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5 DATED: This 18th day of August, 2017.

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8 United States Magistrate Judge

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